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The CASE *of the Officers, and Independent Companies at* NEW-YORK.

I. THAT the Rolls of the ſeveral Muſters, which were from time to time Taken of the ſaid Companies at *New-York*, have been conſtantly Tranſmitted to *England*; but the Commiſſary General deny'd Receiving them, becauſe he had no Deputy in thoſe Parts; and ſo they were Return'd to the Poſt-Office, where they were loſt.

II. THAT the Pay-Maſter-General without Muſter-Rolls cannot State their Accounts, ſo as to be laid before the Commiſſioners of Accounts, unleſs a Clauſe be made in the Commiſſioners Bill, to Impower him to allow them Compleat without Muſter-Rolls.

III. THAT the Army in *Flanders* were allow'd Compleat without Muſter-Rolls, in Conſideration of the Loſs and Charge they were at in Recruiting: Theſe Gentlemen were at much greater, their Recruits generally Coſting them Four Pounds, and Six Pounds a Man; and the Occaſion very frequent, being on a Dangerous Frontier againſt the *Indians*.

IV. THAT if ſuch a Clauſe be not Obtain'd, they are intirely Depriv'd of what they Serv'd for, becauſe without it their Accounts cannot be Stated: But 'tis hop'd this Honourable Houſe will not think it Reaſonable, theſe Gentlemen and their Companies ſhou'd loſe their Right for want of Muſter-Rolls, which are not in Being.